

## Practice 2

Underneath each model sentence are two scrambled imitations of the model. One makes sense, the other, nonsense. However, when both are unscrambled, both will match the structure of the model. Unscramble and write out each to produce sentences with sentence parts arranged and punctuated like the model.

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Model: Tom got his lantern, lit it in the hogshead, wrapped it closely in the towel, and the two adventurers crept in the gloom toward the tavern.

*Mark Twain, Tom Sawyer*

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- 1a. ahead of the singer
- b. rehearsed it
- c. Bob wrote his song
- d. but the small orchestra played
- e. sang it beautifully
- f. in the play
- g. in the evenings
- h. with the beat
- 2a. and the plimey peesto scrunted
- b. broded it
- c. in the tunert
- d. Snaze kurped its blander
- e. crassed it frinkly
- f. of a bleepert

- g. from the marton
- h. with the snart

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Model: To carry care to bed is to sleep with a pack on your back.

*Thomas Haliburton*

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- 3a. in a state
- b. to bring work
- c. of constant worry
- d. is
- e. from the office
- f. to "relax"
- 4a. in a zipple
- b. to jeld crams
- c. is
- d. near town
- e. from a zapple
- f. to murd

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Model: The man who writes about himself and his own time is the only man who writes about all people and about all time.

*George Bernard Shaw*

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- 5a. with great enthusiasm
- b. a sportscaster
- c. and with solid knowledge
- d. the choice announcer
- e. is
- f. who communicates
- g. who communicates
- h. and sports' top athletes
- i. with fans



- 6a. and near forty bleeps
- b. the blends
- c. the best blends
- d. and their brained nabort
- e. which croak
- f. are
- g. which croak
- h. near thirty bleeps
- i. from selfhoose

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Model: A leather handbag, extremely worn, but with a label inside  
it as impressive as the one inside Mrs. Snell's hat, lay on the pantry.

*J.D. Salinger, "Down at the Dinghy"*

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- 7a. very dry
  - b. in Grandma's eyes
  - c. as appealing
  - d. the wrinkled skin
  - e. as the sparkle
  - f. shone in the candlelight
  - g. about it
  - h. yet with a softness
- 8a. an oversized saltert
  - b. in its woostem
  - c. quite priter
  - d. as lumrious
  - e. plazoned from a yambrod
  - f. as a klanion
  - g. on it
  - h. and of a color

